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**PATENT**

Atty. Docket No. 30454-122

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

GUY DUPENLOUP

Serial No.: 09/026,790

Filed: February 20, 1998

For: AUTOMATIC SYNTHESIS SCRIPT  
GENERATION FOR SYNOPSIS DESIGN  
COMPILER

Group Art Unit: 2825

Examiner: Thompson, Annette M.

**AMENDMENT/RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 2, 2004, the period for response to which having been extended to May 2, 2004, by the accompanying Petition for One-Month Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as follows:



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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Response to Office Action in the above-identified application and the following:

- No additional claim fee is required.
- Additional fees are required as calculated and shown below:

	Claims Remaining After Amendment	High st Number Previously Paid For	Number Extra	Small Entity Rate	Small Entity Fee	Large Entity Rat	Large Entity Fe
Total	18	20	0	x \$9.00		x \$18.00	
Independent	6	7	0	x \$42.00		x \$84.00	
<b>1st Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim</b>				x \$140.00		x \$280.00	
				<b>TOTAL:</b>		<b>TOTAL:</b>	

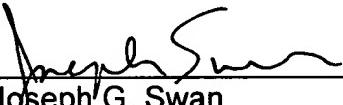
- A Petition for [X] One; [ ] Two; [ ] Three Month Extension of Time and the requisite fee is being filed concurrently herewith.
- Other attachments:
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 12-2252. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
  - Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.
  - Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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